

Authority of
commissioners
to construct
pike roads.

mentioned, and the result declared as hereinafter provided; and said road commissioners shall build and construct said pike road upon the route or road for which a majority of the qualified voters of said beat vote. 11th. The sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the construction and completion of a turnpike or macadamized road commencing on the east side of a small bridge on the public road between Little Bear Creek and the city of Tusculumbia; just east of the house of Albert Grey; thence running along said public road in the direction of said city, to the old county bridge across Spring Creek. Said "Road Commissioners" are directed to devote the sums mentioned above to each road as described and no portion of said fund or sum directed to be used on a particular road, can or must be used on any other road unless the sum set apart for a particular road is not required to complete the same, in which event the balance may be used elsewhere on any of said roads as said road commissioners may determine or to be established by them. Said road commissioners shall build and construct said roads

Contracts to
build; how let.

by letting the same contract to the lowest responsible bidder, but before letting said contract said road commissioners shall advertise for thirty days in at least two newspapers in said county for sealed proposals to build said roads, or a part thereof, with the privilege of accepting or rejecting same. If any of said bids are accepted said road commissioners are required to contract with the contractors in writing, which contract shall be signed by said contractor, and the county of Colbert by said three road commissioners who are authorized to contract for said county for the construction of said pike, provided said county will not be liable for payment of the amount said contracts except out said road fund.

Parties to
contract.

Bond required
of contractor.

Said road commissioners shall have said contractor to deliver to them before work is commenced on any of said roads, a bond in such sum as said road commissioners may determine in no case